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(37 CFR 1.63)**

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Attorney Docket Number	3086-9
First Named Inventor	Dominic. P. BEHAN
COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
Application Number	09 / 060,188
Filing Date	April 14, 1998
Group Art Unit	
Examiner Name	

As a below named Inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

A method of Identifying Modulators of Cell Surface Membrane Receptors Used in the Treatment of Disease

the specification of which

(Title of the Invention)

is attached hereto

OR

was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached?
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As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following registered practitioner(s) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: Customer Number → Place Customer Number Bar Code Label here
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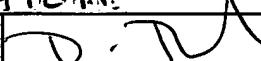
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Re:

Application of: Dominic P. Behan and Derek T. Chalmers

For: A Method Of Identifying Modulators Of Cell Surface Membrane
Receptors Useful In The Treatment Of Disease

Serial No. 09/060,188

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

**VERIFIED STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 C.F.R. 1.9(f) AND 1.27(c) - SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN)**

Dear Sir:

I hereby declare that I am the President of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below:

Arena Pharmaceuticals, Inc.
203 Garden Street
Radnor, PA 19087

I hereby declare that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 C.F.R. 121.12, and reproduced in 37 C.F.R. 1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention described in the application identified above.

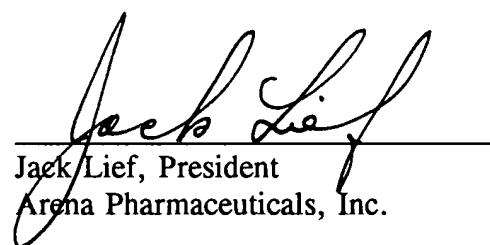
If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights to the invention is listed below and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an

independent inventor under 37 S.F.R. 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 C.F.R. 1.9(d), or a nonprofit organization under 37 D.F.R. 1.9(e). No such person, concern, or organization exists.

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 C.F.R. 1.28(b))

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Date: 2/2/98



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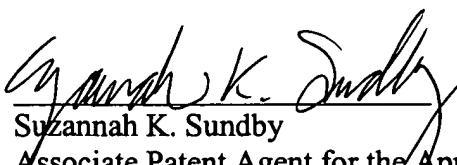
Verified Statement Under 37 C.F.R. 1.821

I, Suzannah K. Sundby, state as follows:

1. I prepared the enclosed Sequence Listing, consisting of 11 pages (numbered 77 through 87) in the preliminary amendment filed herewith for the above patent application.
2. The enclosed sequence listing and preliminary amendment are not intended, nor are believed, to add statutory "new matter" to the above patent application.
3. The enclosed 3.5 inch, 1.44Mb floppy diskette (labeled as "09/060,188 Sequence Listing") containing said sequence listing is saved as "ARENA.APP" in ASCII format.
4. The substantive contents of the paper and computer readable copy of the sequence listing are the same.

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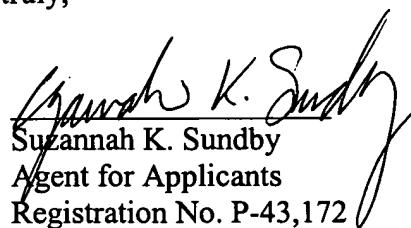

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Yours truly,

Dated: JUNE 24, 1998

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